



BDCP

BAY DELTA CONSERVATION PLAN

# Session 5 – Steps Toward the Overall Plan

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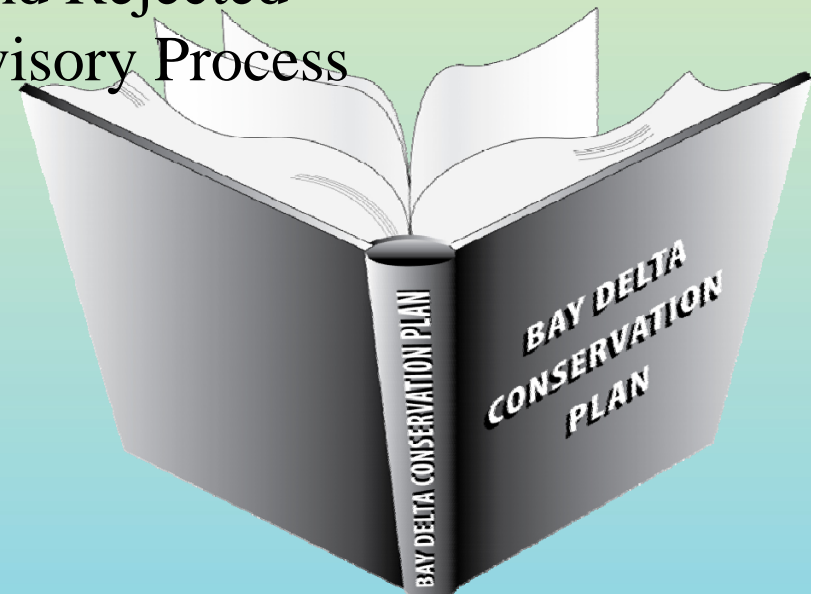
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# Steps Toward the Overall Plan

- Chapter 1. Introduction
- Chapter 2. Existing Ecological Conditions
- Chapter 3. Conservation Strategy
- Chapter 4. Description of Covered Activities
- Chapter 5. Assessment of Impacts and Level of Take
- Chapter 6. Plan Implementation
- Chapter 7. Implementation Structure
- Chapter 8. Implementation Costs and Funding
- Chapter 9. Alternatives Considered and Rejected
- Chapter 10. Independent Science Advisory Process
- Chapter 11. List of Preparers
- Chapter 12. References



## Coming Months

- Governance and implementation structures
- Address other stressors
- Further analytical work and modeling
- Refining the operating parameters for the SWP and CVP
  - taking into consideration effects on Delta water quality
- Refining biological goals and objectives
  - Including covered terrestrial species

## Coming Months

- Completing the adaptive management and monitoring plans
- Refining conservation measures and their monitoring metrics in response to comments and new information
- Working with other permitting agencies that are not currently active in BDCP

## Related Issues for Consideration

- Sacramento River Inflows
- San Joaquin River Inflows
- New Water Storage Facilities
- Conservation Measures Outside the Planning Area
- Measures to Address Changed Circumstances (e.g. Levee Failure and Climate Change)

## Community Concerns for Consideration

- existing land uses such as agriculture and ag-based economies
- recreational activities and recreation-based economies
- property tax, in lieu fees and user fee revenues of local jurisdictions
- potential regulatory effects on adjacent property owners
- mosquito and vector controls
- the production of methyl-mercury
- the effects on other protected terrestrial species



## Community Concerns for Consideration

- the compatibility of the plan with flood control plans
- the effects on existing irrigation and drainage infrastructure
- adverse effects on local water quality such as salinity, dissolved oxygen, and organic carbon
- existing water rights
- effects on existing wastewater treatment operations of local jurisdictions
- local control over local land use

## Upcoming Public Scoping Meetings

- Twelve meetings will be held throughout the State to solicit input from stakeholders, Tribes, and the interested public
- Input will help guide the analysis conducted for the EIR and EIS
  - Identify environmental impacts of implementing the BDCP
  - Identify potential alternatives
  - Identify mitigation for significant impacts



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## Scoping Meeting *Dates and Locations*

### **CHICO**

Monday, March 9

### **SAN JOSE**

Tuesday, March 10

### **BAKERSFIELD**

Wednesday, March 11

### **LOS ANGELES**

Thursday, March 12

### **SAN DIEGO**

Monday, March 16

### **MERCED**

Tuesday, March 17

### **DAVIS**

Wednesday, March 18

### **SACRAMENTO**

Thursday, March 19

### **BRENTWOOD**

Monday, March 23

### **STOCKTON**

Tuesday, March 24

### **FAIRFIELD**

Wednesday, March 25

### **CLARKSBURG**

Thursday, March 26

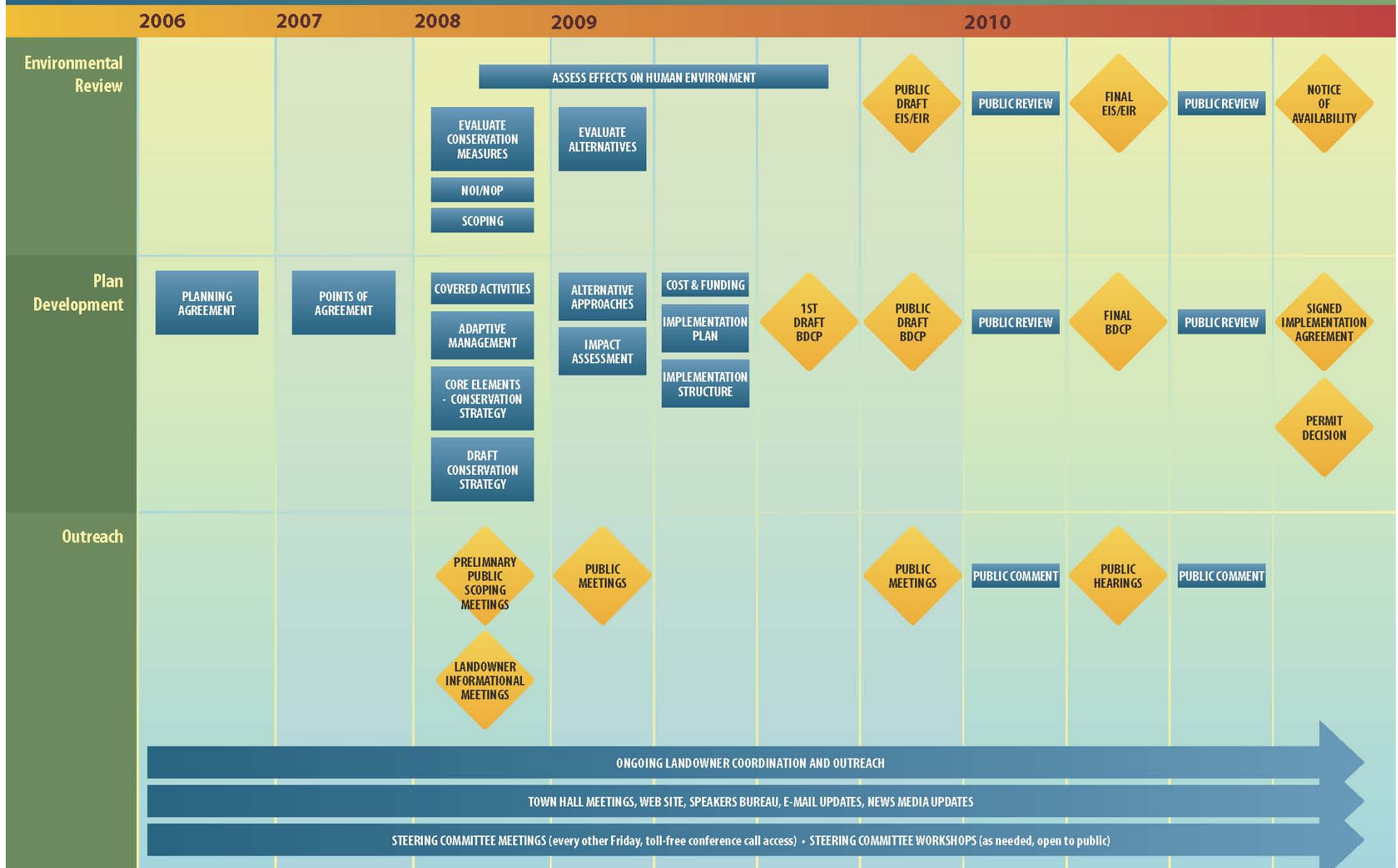
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## OVERVIEW OF PLAN DEVELOPMENT

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FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT [HTTP://WWW.RESOURCES.CA.GOV/BDCP/](http://www.resources.ca.gov/bdcp/)



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